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Executive Director
Public Sewer Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
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RE: River Bluffs Proposed Sewer Rate Increase

To Whom It May Concern:

While I am not opposed to a business passing on increased operating costs to customers; I am vehemently opposed to the proposed rate increase that River Bluffs Harold Helm is presenting to the Public Sewer Commission.

The magnitude (40.994%) outstrips inflation over the period between River Bluffs last increase and now. That (prior) increase (>\$22 per month a >50% increase) was originally presented as a recapture of costs associated with finding out which homes were discharging rain and surface water into River Bluffs sewer lines. However, it became a permanent bimonthly charge that is still on my Louisville Water Company bill.

It is my understanding that River Bluff sells the sold waste generated; thus recapturing some of their operating costs. Further, I don't believe that the price River Bluff charges for this waste remains unchanged.

I request that your review provide a more realistic operating cost pass-through than a percentage increase that significantly improves the overall profitability to Mr. Helm.

Respectfully,



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